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6.	Chief Minister, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh	Lohit (Arunachal Pradesh)	02.08.94
7.	Shri Virbhadra Singh, Chief Minister, Himachal Pradesh	Lahaul Spiti and Solan (Himachal Pradesh)	02.04.96
8.	Gen. K.V. Krishna Rao, Governor, J & K	Udhampur, Kargil, Kupwara, Badgam, Doda and Rajouri (J & K)	04.11.93
9.	Shri Jyoti Basu, Chief Minister, West Bengal	Dinajpur (West Bengal)	09.12.93
10.	Shri Zachilhu, Minister, Agril. & Wasteland Development, Govt. of Nagaland	Tizitin Mon (Nagaland)	03.12.96

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Bodo Militancy

1637. SHRI CHITTA BASU :
SHRI BIR SINGH MAHATO :

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the attention of the Government has been drawn to the growing Bodo Militancy;

(b) if so. the steps taken by the Government to meet the situation;

(c) the assessment of the Government and the prospects of the Bodo Accord;

(d) the steps proposed to be taken to salvage the accord;

(e) whether the Government are aware of the opposition from a section of people to the 'unified command' as introduced recently; and

(f) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MOHD. MAQBOOL DAR) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Army and Central Para Military forces have been deployed on the request of the State Government to keep the situation under control. The State Government have been asked to take special measures for protecting Railway property, Railway Stations etc.

(c) and (d) The Government has been making all possible efforts towards the implementation of Bodo Accord. BAC Act, 1993 has been enacted by the State Legislature towards implementation of the Accord. This Act covers most of the points listed in the Accord.

The State 'Government is holding discussions with various Bodo Groups for resolving the outstanding issues.

(e) Yes, Sir.

(f) The Unified Headquarters has been formed to synergise and coordinate the counter insurgency operations conducted by Army, CPOs and State Armed Police in the State. The opposition is therefore, unjustified.

Displaying of Photographs/Portraits of Leaders

1638. SHRI SHANTILAL PARSOTAMDAS PATEL :
SHRI RATILAL KALIDAS VERMA :

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether attention of the Government has been drawn to the news-item captioned "HC circular on portraits sparks row" appearing in the 'Times of India', dated January 10, 1997;

(b) if so, whether the Government have issued any guidelines on the displaying of protraits/photographs of the leaders;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, whether the Government propose to do the same ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MOHD. MAQBOOL DAR) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) No, Sir.